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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

11 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

12 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

13 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) NO. 3:25-CR-00012-RFL
14 Plaintiff,) [FILED JANUARY 21, 2025]
15 v.) NOTICE OF RELATED CASE IN A CRIMINAL
16 ALEXANDER CHARLES BECKMAN, and) ACTION
17 VALERIE LAU BECKMAN.)
18 a/k/a Valerie Lau,)
19 Defendants.)

21 SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE) NO. 4:25-CV-00800-JST
22 COMMISSION,) [FILED JANUARY 23, 2025]
23 Plaintiff,)
24 v.)
25 ALEXANDER C BECKMAN, and)
26 VALERIE H LAU,)
26 Defendants.)

The United States of America, pursuant to Local Criminal Rule 8-1, hereby notifies the Court that the above-captioned criminal case may be related to a civil case filed in this District.

On January 21, 2025, a federal grand jury returned an indictment against defendants Alexander Charles Beckman and Valerie Lau Beckman, also known as Valerie Lau, in Case No. 25-CR-00012-RFL, charging offenses including wire fraud, securities fraud, conspiracy, and aggravated identity theft. On January 23, 2025, the defendants were arrested and appeared before the Honorable Peter H. Kang, United States Magistrate Judge, for initial appearances and arraignments on the indictment. A further hearing before Judge Kang is set for February 10, 2025, at 2:00 pm.

On January 23, 2025, the Securities and Exchange Commission filed a civil complaint against Alexander Beckman and Valerie Lau in Case No. 4:25-CV-00800-JST.

Based upon the facts as alleged in the indictment and the civil complaint, the cases may be related within the meaning of Local Rule 8-1(b)(1) because they concern the same defendants and related underlying events and conduct involving GameOn, Inc. also known as GameOn Technology and ON Platform, and representations by the defendants to GameOn investors. As alleged in the indictment and the civil complaint, Beckman is the former CEO and cofounder of GameOn, and Lau worked on GameOn matters as an attorney.

Per the requirement of Local Criminal Rule 8-1(c)(4), government counsel states that assignment of these cases to a single judge is likely to conserve judicial resources and promote an efficient determination of each action.

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Respectfully submitted,

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